## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

MARGARITA NELSON, and RODGER NELSON,

Plaintiffs,

8:19CV240

SECOND AMENDED CASE PROGRESSION ORDER

VS.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

This matter comes before the Court on the parties' Joint Motion to Continue Deadlines (Filing No. 39). After review of the parties' motion, the Court finds good cause to grant the requested extensions. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the Joint Motion to Continue Deadlines (<u>Filing No. 39</u>) is granted, and the amended case progression order (<u>Filing No. 38</u>) is amended as follows:

- 1) The status conference scheduled for June 1, 2020, is cancelled.
- 2) The trial and pretrial conference will not be set at this time. A status conference to discuss case progression, dispositive motions, the parties' interest in settlement, and the trial and pretrial conference settings remains scheduled with the undersigned magistrate judge on **August 21, 2020**, at **11:00 a.m.** by telephone. Counsel shall use the conferencing instructions assigned to this case to participate in the conference.
- The deadlines to identify expert witnesses and to complete expert disclosures<sup>1</sup> for all experts expected to testify at trial, (both retained experts, (<u>Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B)</u>), and non-retained experts, (<u>Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(C)</u>), are:

For the plaintiffs: August 24, 2020
For the defendant: October 20, 2020
Plaintiffs' rebuttal: November 3, 2020

- 4) The deposition deadline, including but not limited to depositions for oral testimony only under Rule 45, is **November 16, 2020**.
- 5) The deadline for filing motions to exclude testimony on *Daubert* and related grounds is **December 21, 2020**.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> While treating medical and mental health care providers are generally not considered "specially retained experts," not all their opinions relate to the care and treatment of a patient. Their opinion testimony is limited to what is stated within their treatment documentation. As to each such expert, any opinions which are not stated within that expert's treatment records and reports must be separately and timely disclosed.

- 6) The deadline for filing motions to dismiss and motions for summary judgment is **January 19, 2021**.
- 7) The parties shall comply with all other stipulations and agreements recited in their Rule 26(f) planning report that are not inconsistent with this order.
- 8) All requests for changes of deadlines or settings established herein shall be directed to the undersigned magistrate judge. Such requests will not be considered absent a showing of due diligence in the timely progression of this case and the recent development of circumstances, unanticipated prior to the filing of the motion, which require that additional time be allowed.

Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020.

BY THE COURT:

s/Michael D. Nelson United States Magistrate Judge